

20 July 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: Lavon B. Strong  
Director, Public Affairs Office

SUBJECT: Request by World Affairs Council of  
Northern California for Briefing on CIA

1. Action Requested: Accept or decline request to brief a World Affairs Council delegation Friday morning, 30 September, at Headquarters.

2. Background: [redacted] called requesting that you meet with thirty members of the World Affairs Council of Northern California. She has requested a two-hour briefing on the role of the Central Intelligence Agency in the making and carrying out of American foreign policy. Several Board members of the World Affairs Council along with members at large will be included in the group. According to [redacted] the members have backgrounds in world affairs and are attentive to the issues of foreign policy. This delegation from the Council are community leaders in Northern California and represent business, professional and educational fields. All have graduate degrees. While in Washington they will be meeting with Vice President Bush, Secretary of State Shultz, and Secretary of Defense Weinberger. Weinberger is a former trustee of the Council. Admiral Inman and NIO Hans Heymann briefed the Council in September 1981 at Headquarters.

3. Recommendation: Public Affairs suggests that you meet with them for 10-15 minutes of general remarks followed by approximately 15 minutes of Q & A dialogue. You could then turn the group over to [redacted] for an update on "Soviet Threat."

[redacted]  
Lavon B. Strong

I'll give 30 min TALK  
15 min Q & A

Then [redacted]

For

1 hr + 15 min

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ACCEPT:

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Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

Date

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Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

Date

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